



Natural Resources Conservation Service
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Nashville, Tennessee 37203

May 29, 2008

Mr. John Charles Wilson, Chairman
Shelby County Soil Conservation District
7777 Walnut Grove Road, Suite 5
P. O. Box 22
Memphis, Tennessee 38120-2100

Dear Mr. Wilson:

The following provides additional information on In-Kind service funding for Mary's Creek Rehabilitation project, Dam No. 7.

The total project cost to rehabilitate Mary's Creek Watershed Dam No. 7 is \$440,305. This includes Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) federal technical assistance costs to install the works of improvements for Mary's Creek Dam No. 7.

The total financial assistance cost to rehabilitate Mary's Creek site No. 7 is \$319,243. The local sponsor is responsible for providing 35 percent of \$319,243, which amounts to \$111,735.05. Of the \$111,735.05 provided by the local sponsor, a portion of the local sponsor's cost will be provided by using IN-KIND services. Examples of In-Kind services are administrative costs, equipment and manpower, or costs for surveys and easements.

We estimate that \$11,735.00 of the local sponsor's costs will be provided through In-Kind services, leaving a balance of \$100,000.00 to be provided through appropriated funds provided by the local sponsor.

If you need additional clarification on the funding resources needed to install the works of improvements for Mary's Creek Dam No. 7, please call me.



Your participation in the watershed dam rehabilitation program is appreciated.

Sincerely,



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